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NANOTUBES

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action ("Office Action") having a mailing date of August 12, 2005, with a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on November 14, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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Amendments to the Title

Please amend the Title of the Application as follows:

ROPES OF SINGLE-WALL CARBON NANOTUBES AND <u>COMPOSITIONS THEREOF</u>
<u>METHOD OF MAKING SAME</u>